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- Three-Month Petition for an Extension of Time (in duplicate); 1.
- 2. Reply Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111; and
- Check in the amount of \$950.00. 3.

Our check for \$950.00 is enclosed covering any required fees. In the event any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the Patent and Trademark Office charges, please charge or credit the difference to our Deposit Account 50-0311, Reference No. 20837-007. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed for that purpose.

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